

## FLAG DAY, JULY 1st

At a meeting of Coleman Lodge No. 117, R.P.O.E., on Friday last, it was decided to hold their flag day in conjunction with the July 1st sports this year, and all children, whether attending school or not, will be presented with a flag and twenty cents to celebrate this auspicious occasion.

The children are to be formed up in the school grounds at Central school where worthy Exalted Ruler A.M. Morrison will deliver a five minute address on the flag, then the children will form part of what is expected to be the finest parade ever staged in Coleman, and march to the athletic grounds where the sports of the day take place.

## Death Claims Another Highly Respected Local Resident

It is The Journal's sad duty again this week to record the passing of another highly respected member of our community in the person of Ken Foster, who passed away in the local hospital early Monday morning, as a result of injuries received while following his occupation of a miner in the McGillivray Creek Coal Company's mine on Friday of last week.

The deceased came to Coleman about two years ago from Spring Hill, N.S., and during his residence here made many friends by reason of his sterling, upright, character, and an amiable, sociable personality felt by all those who had the pleasure of his acquaintance.

Besides a sorrowing widow he leaves to mourn their loss five daughters, Mr. McCrae, Macleod, Misses Anna, Rena, Phyllis, and Isabel, and four sons, Dan, Roy, and Ross at home, and Robert of Boston, Mass.

The funeral services were held yesterday afternoon and were in charge of the local Masonic lodge of which the deceased was a member. Many beautiful floral tributes testified to the high esteem in which the late Mr. Foster was held by the residents of Coleman.

## SCOUT NEWS



No. 2 Coleman Troop had their first initiation ceremony on Monday of this week, when 14 Scouts were enrolled in the Scout organization. They then marched round the town lead by the McGillivray Pipe Band, finishing up with a lemon social at the Palm. No. 1 Troop sent a visiting Scout to the parade.

No. 2 Troop are hoping to stage an exhibition at an early date and mean to make it a hum dinger.

All boys of No. 1 Troop are straining every nerve to get fully equipped.

No. 1 has already the nucleus of a good bugle band.

There are several boys who would like to get work to earn money for their uniforms. Anyone having suitable work kindly phone 295 B.

No. 1 Troop is going on a route march on Friday night at 8.30.

## LOCAL, PERSONAL AND GENERAL NEWS

Mr. G. R. Powell is around again after being laid up for about ten days with the flu.

Mr. Stewart Robertson, of San Francisco, California, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. E. F. Gare this week on his way East to the Canadian Soo.

The dance under auspices of Coleman Lodge, B.P.O.E., to raise funds for the Swimming Pool and Arena originally intended to be held in the Crystal Rink on the evening of May 24th, has been postponed to Thursday, June 3rd, King's birthday.

The Royalists No. 4 well in the Turner Valley, is producing more oil now than all the wells in the province of Ontario together.

John T. Stirling, chief mine inspector for the province, was in Coleman Tuesday attending the inquest held in connection with the death of K. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Emmerson, accompanied by Mrs. Charlie Graham, motored to Calgary on Wednesday, returning home on Saturday last.

On Wednesday we received a letter for publication from one of the School Trustees, but owing to its late arrival The Journal is forced to hold it over until next week.

A convention of Labor delegates for Rocky Mountain constituency will be held in Blairmore on Friday, 21st, at which a candidate to contest the seat in the approaching provincial elections will be chosen.

The Rev. H. Laurence Noble will be away from The Pass for about a week. He is occupying the pulpit at Strathmore on Sunday.

Crow's Nest Pass First Aid Assoc. of Alberta are holding a concert and dance on Friday, May 21st, in the Coleman Opera House. Concert starts at 8 p.m. Col. Chas. A. Hodgatta, director general of St. John Ambulance Assoc. of Canada, will be present and present certificates to local members. Dancing commences at 10 p.m., and refreshments served at midnight.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rippon and children are leaving on Saturday morning to spend the summer at Eastern points.

Mr. W. S. Purvis is building a summer cottage at Crow's Nest lake next to Dr. J. Olivier's bungalow.

A social evening was given by Miss Emma Thom on Saturday, May 9th, on the anniversary of her birthday. Many friends being present. Whist was played and the prizes were won by: ladies first, Miss Doris Lewis, ladies consolation Miss E. Antrobus. Gents first, Mr. Walter Nelson, gents consolation, Mr. J. Atkinson. A most delightful lunch was served. Many beautiful gifts were received from her friends, and everybody present had a very enjoyable evening.

Victoria Releah Lodge are holding a sale of work including fancy, children's, apron, home cooking, and pantry stalls, and serving tea in the L.O.O.F. hall on Saturday of this week. A dance is to follow in the evening commencing at 8 p.m.

A delightful send-off party was given by Mrs. Chalmers, East Coleman, on May 8th, in honor of her daughter Mary (Mrs. George Reid) and little grandson Willie, who leave on Saturday to spend a six months' vacation in Scotland. Over thirty invited guests were present. Winners at the whist tables were: Mrs. H. C. Pearson 1st, Mrs. J. Richards 2nd; gentlemen Mr. Chalmers 1st, Mr. McCarthy 2nd. Delightful refreshments were served by the hostess at the conclusion of play.

Little Anna D'Andrea had the misfortune to fall during the morning recess at Central School Wednesday and suffer a fractured arm.

An interprovincial football match is scheduled for Blairmore on Saturday at 6 p.m. between B.C. and Alberta. The best eleven men on the field Saturday go to Lethbridge. May 24th to play a test match from which a team will be chosen to meet the English tourists who play in Lethbridge on June 9th.

## Selling Everything in The Store at Oumette's Closing Out Sale Starting May 19

Mr. O. M. Giness, of the T. K. Kelly Sales System, Minneapolis, Minn., arrived in Coleman on Saturday last, and since then has been busily engaged in completing arrangements to commence on Wednesday, May 19th, the greatest close out sale ever held in Coleman or at any point in the Crow's Nest Pass. \$25,000 worth of high class merchandise including groceries, dry goods, clothing, footwear, crockery, etc., are to be offered to the public at such money-saving prices as to be irresistible.

Full particulars of this memorable event is to be found in this issue of The Journal and also on large posters broadcasted throughout The Pass.

The citizens of Coleman will remember the unqualified success attending the stock reducing sale put on a little over a year ago by the Kelly Sales System at this store.

At that time the public in their eagerness to participate in the bargain offered, actually crashed in the doors of the building on the first morning of the sale, and as the sale starting next Wednesday is a close-out, not a stock-reducing sale, it is a foregone conclusion that many greater bargains will be offered than was the case at the previous sale.

Read the advertisement and get to the store early if you want to be among the first to take advantage of this golden opportunity to save money on your purchases.

## Say It With Flowers

When you require flowers artistically arranged for any occasion, at moderate prices, and of unequalled quality, phone No. 13, THE COLEMAN TRADING CO., LTD., agents for Franche Bros., Lethbridge.

Arrangements are now being completed for the handling of all public and high school text books for the schools of the province, by the Alberta Dept. of Education. The department will purchase all books and will sell them to school boards, dealers and others at a list price, which will be at cost to the govt.

New wheat seeded this spring is beginning to show green above the ground in southern Alberta.

## UNPAID TAXES NEED ATTENTION

In glancing over the auditor's report of the Town of Coleman for 1925, appearing in last week's Journal, it appears that the town authorities spent over three thousand dollars more than was received by way of revenue from all sources. If, however, all taxes levied by the town in 1925 had been paid, it would have been possible to have balanced the civic budget.

The matter of unpaid taxes, according to the auditor's report, has become a very serious question for not only the council to deal with but effects every ratepayer in Coleman. The statement shows the town collected about ten thousand dollars in taxes and at the end of the year over nine thousand dollars in taxes remained unpaid. It will be apparent to all that if this state of affairs continues it will only be a matter of a short time until the town's credit is seriously jeopardized.

It is very questionable, in the face of this showing, if the policy of leniency towards delinquent taxpayers and following the lines of least resistance, by borrowing money from the bank, to pay current accounts, which should be met out of taxes, is really in the best interests of the citizens. Of course, during the past two years money has not been plentiful in Coleman and unpaid taxes have accumulated like other debts. However, it would now seem to be high time to initiate some movement to collect this money. Continuously extending the period when tax law pending operations is not helping to get in tax arrears, neither is it fair to those who pay promptly.

Last year it cost the town around six hundred dollars—the amount paid the bank in interest—to carry these delinquents. The point is, could not this amount have been spent to better advantage? A live tax collecting campaign could be waged that would not cost the town a sixth of the amount paid in interest, and would have the effect of reducing the amount of tax money outstanding. The six hundred dollars paid in interest does not collect one cent of unpaid taxes, but rather adds to the taxpayers' burden.

A few months ago the School Board, whose unpaid tax problem is properly on a par with that of the town, spent one dollar and twenty cents in the form of publicity in an endeavor to collect tax money in arrears, and according to very reliable information, several hundred dollars of back taxes was the result. Whether it is better business to pay eight or nine per cent and increase the huge total of unpaid taxes, or pay less than one per cent, and decrease this total, we leave with the powers that be to decide.

## Memento For Lady Byng.

An appeal has been sent out to all women's organizations in the Province of Alberta from Mrs. Eva C. Egbert, wife of the Lieutenant-Governor, for the purpose of raising funds with which to purchase a suitable memento to be presented to Lady Byng, prior to her departure for England. Every province in Canada is contributing towards this fund, and those in Alberta who desire to subscribe are requested to forward contributions to Government House, Edmonton, not later than May 30th.

More than 1300 settlers registered at the immigration hall at Edmonton during the month of April.

## BOOST COLEMAN!

Somebody has done something for Coleman today. Have you?

Cities don't just happen—unless they happen to have wide awake people.

The poorest place to die in is the town that's not made a better place to live in.

If you don't think it's the people that keep a town alive, imagine everyone leaving it for six months and then come back and take a look.

Jack Dempsey gets a million dollars for fighting one hour, and we have to fight a million hours to get one dollar. Yet Dempsey is no happier than we are, hot dog!

## Scores Attend Boyce Funeral Thursday Last

The funeral of the late John Boyce was held on Thursday afternoon last. The remains were taken from the undertaking parlor to the residence at 3 p.m., where a short private service was conducted by the Rev. D. K. Allan. The following old friends of the deceased were the pallbearers: D. Roberts, D. Gillespie, T. Muir, J. Russell, Wm. Roughland and Wm. Fraser.

At 4 p.m. a public ceremony was held in St. Paul's church. The auditorium was filled with sympathetic comrades and citizens. There was a large number of floral tributes.

The Rev. Allan spoke from the words, "By sin we died death," and "Jesus said, I come down from heaven, I am come to give life." These searching, solemn truths brought home the fact of all the misery and misunderstanding that has followed sin.

He spoke very highly of the departed brother as a true comrade, faithful worker, sincere friend and a true and loving husband and father.

Mr. Wm. Lees presided at the organ. Much heartfelt sympathy is felt for Mrs. Boyce and family, Jean and John, and the sister of the late Mr. Boyce, Mrs. Johnstone of Moose Jaw.

The numerous floral tributes included the following: Mother, Jean and John, Mrs. E. Johnstone and family, Moose Jaw, Sask., Mr. H. Vincent, Mrs. R. G. Vincent, Mr. and Mrs. A. Irvine, Mr. Wm. Lorne, Blairmore, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McBurney, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. D. Gillespie, from Neighbours and Friends, Mr. and Mrs. McGrath, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hoggan, Mr. and Mrs. Neil I. MacKinnon, United Mine Workers of Canada, The Rod and Gun Club, K. of P. Lodge and Victoria Releah Lodge No. 7. Others are not accounted for in this list owing to cards having fallen off. In addition to these a large number of letters and telegrams of sympathy were received by Mrs. Boyce, Jean and John.

Mrs. Boyce, Jean and John, desire at this time to thank the many kind friends for letters, telegrams, flowers and other expressions of sympathy with them in the hour of their sad bereavement.

Various interests concerned in Alberta are united with the provincial government in the attitude to be taken in connection with the investigation into freight rates to commerce before the Dominion Railway Commission shortly.

Take a Chance—\$100 May Secure This Car For YOU!



Above is a picture of the splendid fully equipped Ford Touring Car to be given away to the person holding the lucky number on the last evening of Coleman's Big Three Night Carnival, July 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Tickets for the car are now on sale. One dollar gives you a chance to be the winner of this nifty little car. Buy a ticket early and often.



## TRADE SUFFERS IN BRITISH ISLES THROUGH STRIKE

London.—The British Gazette, the government's newspaper, contains an official government communique, declaring that trade and industry throughout the entire country is suffering serious injury through the general strike.

Equally throughout the country vital services, food, milk, light and power, are being successfully maintained by the government and every obstacle is being progressively surmounted, "although," it adds, "serious and possibly prolonged efforts will be required from all loyal citizens."

"There is no doubt whatever of the result," the communique continues. "No serious disorders have occurred; abundant food transport is available, but picketing is interfering with distribution. The special police are being increased steadily, and protection on a growing and wider scale will be afforded daily."

"The navy has rendered prompt and effective civil assistance at several seaports, but no use of display of armed force has been required and the public is advised to disregard alarmist rumors such as the 'post office savings bank has suspended payment' and 'mutinies have occurred among His Majesty's forces.' Such reports are wholly untrue, their circulation is a criminal offense."

### More Compensation

Rural Postmasters May Soon Receive Higher Pay

Ottawa.—Answering a question in the House of Commons regarding compensation for rural postmasters after the introduction of the two-cent stamp on July 1, Hon. Ernest Lapointe, minister of justice, said that it was realized that the adoption of the two-cent letter rate on July 1 next will result in a substantial decrease in the revenue of rural post offices. As rural postmasters are paid on a commission basis, there would be a corresponding decrease in their salaries.

"The question of an upward revision of the rates of compensation of rural postmasters will receive sympathetic consideration by those who are charged with the duty of fixing the rates, he added."

### Vessels Liable To Customs

Those Delivering Canadian Winter Storage Cargoes At U. S. Ports Come Under Tariff

Ottawa.—There is apparently some apprehension, it was stated here as to the position of United States delivering Canadian winter storage cargoes at United States ports. These cargoes are liable to a 25 per cent. customs duty not by virtue of an order-in-council, but under the customs tariff which can only be amended by act of parliament. Under a provision of the Canada Shipping Act, however, the government may, by order-in-council, permit foreign vessels loaded with winter storage grain to discharge at a Canadian port in the spring. Such an order has been passed for several years.

### Embargo Lifted

London.—After holding up the appearance of the British Worker, the labor paper issued in answer to the government's British Gazette, police permitted its appearance from the office of the Daily Herald, the regular labor newspaper. The embargo was lifted after a sample copy had been inspected.

### Saklatvala Is Jailed

London.—Shapurji Saklatvala, the lone Communist member of parliament, was sentenced to two months' imprisonment here for making seditious speeches. He was given the alternative of providing sureties to keep the peace, but chose the prison sentence.

### Boat Warden To Death

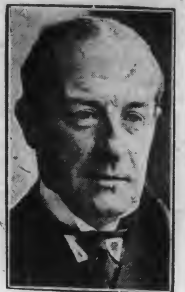
Joliet, Ills.—Deputy Warden Klein, of the Stateville Penitentiary, was beaten to death by seven convicts in a prison break here, the first escape from the great steel modern prison. The convicts escaped in an automobile after leaving Klein in a cell.

It is just fifty years since John D. Rockefeller combined all his companies into one and called it the Standard Oil Company.

A water power plant on White River, Indiana, is controlled automatically by float switches, and requires no attendance.

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### Is Standing Firm



Premier Baldwin of Great Britain, who enjoins the nation to keep steady in the present crisis.

### Slaves In Burma Freed By Britain

Deputy Commissioner Bernard Secures Liberty Of Over Three Thousand Allahabad, British India. — After several months spent in the wilds of Burma, stamping out slave trading and negotiating with the Nagas for the abolition of human sacrifice, Deputy Commissioner J. T. O. Bernard, of the Burma frontier service, has arrived in Calcutta.

Bernard tells a most interesting story of his activities. The number of slaves set free at a cost of 19,000 rupees was 3,415, which did not come up to the exaggerated expectations which had been entertained.

There were no limitations, however, to the gratitude and unmitigated joy of the Kachins, who were emancipated through the act of the "great white chief," Sir Harcourt Butler, governor of Burma.

In an area of 2,000 square miles are 25,000 people hankering after human sacrifice. Evidence was found of this practice and also of the care taken to prepare the victim. Usually he is placed in a kind of stock pen and fed and watered like an animal for two months before being sacrificed.

### Illicit Gold Traffic Alarming Mine Owners

Mines In South Africa Looted Of Large Amounts

Capetown.—Some remarkable revelations regarding the extent of illicit gold traffic have been made in South Africa recently. The conspiracy is centred in the heart of the gold mining industry in Johannesburg, but its ramifications extend to England and India. It is estimated that some \$350,000 worth of gold is dealt with illicitly each year.

The gold is, in the first place, fledged from the many mines that lie alongside the Witwatersrand. It is not an easy matter to steal gold from a mine. Like the diamond industry, there is a constant supervision. Yet gold continues to disappear from the mines and the extent of illicit gold buying is shown by the number of convictions in the Johannesburg courts each year.

The mining authorities, aware of these constant leakages of gold, are puzzled to account for them.

### Table Came From England

Berlin.—The English table upon which Emperor William signed the mobilization order, Aug. 1, 1914, for the commencement of the world war, is now on display to visitors in the imperial castle here. The table, which came from England many years before a gift, was made out of boards from Admiral Nelson's flagship.

Drigible Leaves For Spitzbergen, Leningrad, Russia.—The Amundsen-Ellsworth North Pole dirigible Norge, left Tromsø on another stage of its voyage to Spitzbergen. Daily weather conditions from Spitzbergen, sent by Captain Raold Amundsen, leader of the expedition, appear to be favorable for the flight to King's Bay.

### Orders American's Release

Rome.—An investigating magistrate ordered the immediate release of John Adam Abbott, member of a prominent Boston family who has been held in jail here for the last week. The charge that he had denounced Premier Mussolini was shown to be unfounded.

### Plans Super-Drigible

Pasadena, Calif.—Thomas B. Slat, noted inventor of fuel improvements for aircraft, announced here that he had signed a contract with the government to construct a super-drigible capable of making a non-stop flight to the North Pole and return in seven days.

### Sane Government Or Anarchy

Daily Mail Says British People Will Not Submit to Odious Tyranny London.—The Daily Mail says there are now two governments in Great Britain. One the law government representing 40,000,000 persons, and the other "an unconstitutional, revolutionary government representing 2,600,000 trade unionists."

The paper declares that "one of these governments must go. We are not going to see J. H. Thomas and Ramsay MacDonald imitating the work of Lenin and Trotsky here," the Daily Mail says of the Labor leaders. "Nor will the British people—which is entirely different from the pathetic, submissive mob of Russia—submit to such an odious tyranny."

### Monument For Great Explorer

Douglas Fir Trees Planted Near Captain Vancouver's Grave In England

London.—In the old parish churchyard of Petersham, Surrey, the Hon. P. A. Pauline, agent-general for British Columbia, assisted by J. S. Corbett, secretary of the Empire Forestry Association, has planted near Captain Vancouver's grave a number of young Douglas fir trees grown in Kew Garden from seeds sent by the natives of British Columbia, as a lasting memorial to the great explorer.

### NO PEACE UNTIL STRIKE ORDER IS WITHDRAWN

London.—"The general strike is a challenge to parliament and to the rule of law to anarchy and ruin," the British prime minister, Stanley Baldwin, thus characterized the vast Labor movement in support of the miners' strike, in a message printed by the official government paper, The British Gazette.

He calls upon all good citizens to stand behind the government "to preserve the liberties and privileges of the people of British India."

"In the House of Commons the prime minister made the unequivocal declaration that the strike order must be withdrawn before the government would consider the withdrawal of industrial peace."

At the same session of the commons, Sir William Joynson-Hicks, the home secretary, intimated that troops would be employed, if necessary, to maintain services of vital importance. In setting forth the situation to the press, the government's spokesman at the admiralty declared that the nation was meeting the crisis quietly and calmly, with food and fuel supplies guaranteed for many weeks; an official of the Trades Union Congress at Ecclestone Square, Labor headquarters, announced that the railway de-up was the most complete in the history of Great Britain, and that the striking men and their women-folk were standing solidly together for the cause of Labor.



The Sky Line of New York

As seen from the deck of the Canadian Pacific flagship Empress of Scotland after she had docked there April 10, completing an 83-day voyage around the world, commencing December 31. Many unique spectacles were witnessed by passengers including an eclipse of the sun at Benares which scared over a million Hindus into the sacred waters of the Ganges in the hope of avoiding the destruction of the world; and a human sacrifice when a Hindu youth committed suicide on the altar of the goddess Kali in her temple at Calcutta. The Sultan of Johore, a Malay Peninsula State, introduced some of the lady passengers to his harem. Seven honeymooners took the trip and their example was so contagious that 27 couples had become engaged to be married at the termination of the world cruise.

## H. B. RAILROAD QUESTION COMES BEFORE SENATE

Ottawa.—When the interim supply bill of one twelfth was presented in the senate by Hon. Raoul Dandurand, Senator W. B. Ross, opposition leader, drew attention to the item of \$5,000,000 for the Hudson's Bay Railway in the estimates. He said the senate had not been informed what use was to be made of this money. Whether the Hudson's Bay Railway was to be part of the Canadian National Railway or an independent system operated by the government. He would also like to know where this \$5,000,000 was to be expended and how.

Senator Dandurand said there were 90 miles of road to be completed. The Hudson's Bay Railway was not, at present, a part of the Canadian National system, but was administered and controlled by the railways department. The minister of railways had asked the Canadian National system to supervise the completion of the work. The interim supply voted would be used for maintenance and repairs on that portion of the road on which rails had been laid. In voting money for the Hudson's Bay Railway the government was carrying out the policy of all governments of recent years. He expected the work would be proceeded with diligently until completed.

### Requisition Cafe For Amusement Of Soldiers

Magnificent Restaurant Now Used By British Army On Rhine

London.—The Walhalla at Wiesbaden, one of the most luxurious restaurants in Germany, has been taken over by the Navy, Army and Air Force Institute for the benefit of the army of occupation on the Rhine.

A magnificent restaurant on the ground floor, where wealthy Germans once ate expensive meals, is now used only by British soldiers and their wives, and a large theatre on the first floor has been converted into a moving picture theatre and lecture hall.

"We wanted to take over this building because the facilities for the amusement of the troops in Wiesbaden were inadequate," said Sir W. C. C. A.P.I. "There was great delay on account of financial reasons, but now the place has been requisitioned by the war department."

"There has been considerable opposition in Germany, however, and many newspapers have declared that we have violated the spirit of Locarno."

### Alberta Air Patrol

Ottawa.—G. C. Coote, Progressive, McCleod, asked the minister of the Interior in the house if the air forest patrol in Alberta was to be carried on this year. Hon. Charles Stewart replied that arrangement would be made and the service carried on would be continued this year.

### Figures In British Strike



A. J. Cook, General Secretary of the Miners' Union, who has taken a prominent part in the strike movement.

### Suggests Nation-Wide Celebration

Senate Urges Fitting Recognition of Sixtieth Anniversary of Confederation

Ottawa.—The senate adopted a resolution that "it is expedient that preparations be made for the celebration of the sixtieth anniversary of the Confederation of the Provinces of Canada."

Senator Lewis, who proposed the resolution, believed the celebration should be made nation-wide, and should not be confined solely to Dominion Day.

The anniversary celebration, he declared, should be made a feature of all celebrations of every character throughout the year.

Senator Raoul Dandurand, government leader, thought that advantage should be taken of the sixtieth anniversary of confederation to bring before our people the matter of our national growth and achievements.

### Death Of Forestry Expert

A. H. Mitchell Was Well Known For Work Done In Western Canada

Lethbridge.—A special to the Herald from Macleod says that A. H. Mitchell, aged 68, well known forestry expert, died at Penticton, B.C., following three months illness. Mr. Mitchell, who came to Macleod from Scotland in 1888, was widely known over the prairies, having travelled with the Dominion forestry branch for a number of years. He was a tree enthusiast. His father was chief forester to Lord Rosebery.

## BRITISH CABINET URGED TO MAKE CONCESSIONS

London.—In the House of Commons, former premier Lloyd George joined the Laborites in deploring the precipitancy shown in breaking off negotiations, which he characterized as a grave error. Ramsay MacDonald begged the cabinet not to remain adamant, but to make some concession in order to get the government and the Trades Union Congress around the conference table.

For the first time the debate brought out how slight a touch was needed to sever the thread of negotiations and send the sword of a general strike crashing on the heads of the British people. It was the "overt act" of a few printers in the Daily Mail plant, who, acting without authority of the union's representatives, disagreed with an editorial and stopped the machinery of the paper, preventing its publication.

Ramsay MacDonald, in a further plea for bringing the government and the Trades Union Congress together again, said that after receiving the government's final communication the Trades Union Congress and miners sent a committee from their room to discuss the situation. When the committee arrived, Mr. MacDonald declared dramatically, they found the door locked and the room in darkness.

In consequence of this disclosure, members of the House of Commons repeatedly demanded to know the terms of the formal communication, and whether the miners had accepted it. The Laborites, however, refused to discuss this point was not forthcoming. The Laborite, James Maxton, Glasgow, stated that the strike had been precipitated because the dignity of a great newspaper proprietor should be injured. It was disgraceful that the whole nation's services should be stopped and that millions should suffer because of this.

## NATIONAL FUEL POLICY IS NEEDED FOR DOMINION

Ottawa.—Premier King moved in the House of Commons that the special committee recently appointed to investigate the present sources of supply of anthracite and bituminous coal and other matters in relation thereto be composed of the following members: Messrs. Armstrong, East Lambton, Bury, Campbell, Farnham, Fleming, Garland (How Hill), Gershaw, Howden, Lapierre, McLean (Melfort), Nicholson and Rogers.

The motion carried without division. T. L. Church, Conservative, Toronto, Northwest, stated he could not see any legitimate reason for the appointment of this committee. The responsibility for the solution of this whole question was upon the government. There was a probability of a strike in the anthracite fields of the United States, and immediate action and an announcement of the government's policy should be made. He believed in a national fuel policy for Canada.

Hon. Charles Stewart, minister of the interior, felt that the committee might bring to light some cheaper method of transportation of coal. It might be possible to transport the coal at the head of the lakes from railways to ships. The committee's operations would have nothing to do with the actual supply.

Premier King read a state brief that so far as the government was concerned it was only implementing the wishes of the member for East Lambton, J. E. Armstrong, Conservative, who had expressed the opinion in the house that what was wanted was a committee to study the whole question.

Hon. R. B. Bennett suggested the motion be amended to confine the activities of the committee to a study of freight rates, and distribution. A previous committee had done considerable preliminary work and the ground it covered should not be gone over again.

### Plan Most Northerly Mounted Police Post

Efforts Being Made To Place One Where It Deserves To Be

Toronto.—A determined effort is to be made to land three Royal Canadian Mounted Police on the Rach Peninsula, which is latitude 73, only 10 degrees from the North Pole, according to George P. Mackenzie, officer in charge of Arctic expedition this year. If successful this will be the most northerly R.C.M.P. post, and will be the farthest north which Canada has ever extended her administrative officers.

At this time, Pimluisuk can be reached through three mounted policemen, which represent all branches of the Dominion Government. They will open and conduct a post office, act as mining geographers. If necessary, will act as some varied kind of police, and applications for naturalization if any are made.

### Budget To Stand

No Substantial Changes Are Contemplated By The Government

Ottawa.—No substantial changes will be made in the budget. Hon. J. A. Robb so informed Mr. Hon. Arthur Meighen in the House of Commons in answer to persistent questions on the subject.

The leader of the opposition said he had reports of a character which he could not ignore that changes in the budget were contemplated. The minister of finance hinted that if representations sufficiently strong were made in committee stage some slight modifications might be accepted. But no important changes were under contemplation.

Regina C.P.R. Hotel Approved Montreal.—The city of Regina is to have a new \$1,500,000 hotel. At the 45th annual meeting of Canadian Pacific Railway shareholders here, approval was given to an agreement between the Regina city authorities and the company for the erection of the structure.

Ship Canadian Cattle Toronto.—Cattle boats are leaving Canada for England with regularity, unaffected by the British general strike and the Canadian export trade in livestock generally is not expected to be affected. In the opinion of H. P. Kennedy, large ships at Livestock.

Yukon Free of Ice Dawson.—The ice has moved out of the Yukon River and steamers are expected from lower Lebarge shortly.



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## USE THE AUDITOR'S REPORT.

A suggestion that has much more to commend it than appears on the surface is made by the Chatham, (Ont.) News, to quicken the interest of the municipal public in civic affairs. "One good way to assist in reviving interest," the News says, would be to put a copy of the auditor's report in the hands of every ratepayer. Some of them might be induced to read it, which would mean that more people would be conversant with what is going on in the community."

The News' expressed belief that "some of them might be induced to read it" will be regarded as implying that the number would be few. Doubtless that would be so at the start, but the readers would increase year by year. Curiosity would operate until genuine interest was aroused, and the ratepayer would then quickly learn that it might be dollars in his pocket to give careful heed to the little document which could tell him exactly how the money he contributed to keep the municipal machinery running was being spent.

With that attention on the part of the community secured, a decided step would be taken on the road to good and careful government. The citizens would then begin to realize that the administration of municipal affairs was a matter that closely affected their individual pockets, and they would perceive the advisability of electing men to office who would manage their affairs with the greatest efficiency at the least possible expense.

The result would be that in future elections the "hurry" feature would be eliminated very largely. The glad-hand candidate would be apt to suffer. The business man with a knowledge of affairs and a capacity for managing well and producing the best results would be the choice for office. And the public, with the auditor's reports carefully

conned, would know the men it wanted to look after the business for which it was paying.

## FLIRTING WITH COMMUNISM.

Scare headlines give the impression that a "world strike" may be precipitated by the situation in England. You can't flirt with Communism and expect peace in industry. That there is a taint of Communist propaganda not only in Britain's plight, but in the impending "world crisis" is scarcely sort of self evident. The leaders of the British government as well as the great mass of intelligent laboring people have long known of the inroads of Russia fostered and imposed upon an intelligent people and a great nation. Apparently the tide could not be stemmed. Radicals induced to act as hosts to Russia's pailor spokesmen helped to bring on the catastrophe to British labor.

It is not fair to lay all human and labor ills to Communism. Neither is it expedient to whitewash flagrant violations of human relations when perpetrated by Communists in their open and avowed attempt to Bolshevik the world.

## THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA AND ADVERTISING.

Hon. Geo. Hoadley, minister of agriculture, is seeking commendation, apparently, because there has been a saving of a few thousand dollars in the amount expended on advertising.

This is the Advertising Age and Hon. Mr. Hoadley does not seem to be alive to the tremendous power of Advertising.

The state of California, by means of Advertising, developed from a semi-arid region into a populous and progressive commonwealth. Californians today provide a consuming market of FIVE BILLION DOLLARS A YEAR.

Florida became a household word throughout the continent through the power of Advertising. It is possibly true that the state was over boomed, yet tremendous development has taken place and Florida has built up in a few years by means of Advertising, what otherwise would have taken generations to accomplish.

There are scores of cities in the United States each one of whom spend more on advertising than does the Province of Alberta.

And they reap a rich reward for the money thus expended.

If Alberta is to make the progress that she should, within a reasonable period, the government must give up these old-fashioned ideas of economy in Advertising.—Bassano Mail.

## ADVERTISING'S COMPETITOR.

Like most other things, advertising has competition.

Like all other things, when it works hard enough it wins.

The competitor to advertising is non-advertising.

Non advertising is a mighty destructive competitor.

Silence, when something needs to be sold, is disastrous to business.

All honest advertising helps the craft it seeks to exploit.

Thus advertising reflects advantages to itself.

It becomes its own reward.

It becomes a matter of community interest.

In the field of advertising, all business is partner to its line of endeavor.

Now let's see what the slogan-makers can do before election time. We offer a few samples herewith: "Make Miracle Mac Alberta's Premier," "Boost for Brewless and Bigger Bananas," "Shove for Shaw."—Bassano Mail.

Oh, to be an elephant! The other day in a town in the Dutch East Indies, one picked up an automobile that had run into him and tossed it into the river.

Just at present Ireland seems to be the only European country without a ruckus of some kind on hand.

Better talk back than behind the back.

A political prisoner is the fellow who tries to go out for office and can't make it.

If there's anything in strike waves, one has just reached England from Pennsylvania.

Sometimes when we think we see new faces they're the same old faces in a new makeup.

There are two sides to every question, but the wife's side usually is teetle.

When a woman gets elbowed down she loses her charm. You just watch.

The most addressed man in the world is Mr. Chairman.

Ireland finally got the riot out of Patriot.

If you don't do business, business will do you.

A party of twenty-five school-boys arrived at Montreal in March, under an arrangement between the Macdonald Agricultural College, St. Anne de Bellevue, and the Canadian Pacific Railway. At the college the boys receive a short training in the rudiments of Canadian farm methods and are placed in suitable positions on farms in the spring. An experienced supervisor devotes his entire energy to see that the boys are well taken care of.

Arriving at Vancouver recently on the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Russia," three scientists, Captain L. Dominick, of Yale University, and Wilson Powell and Adrian Rabel, of Harvard, told of photographing the total eclipse of the Sun at an approximate cost of \$30,000 a minute. The three astronomical students were members of the Swathmore college expedition who journeyed to the island of Sumatra to photograph the latest eclipse of January 16.

## Here and There

The total coal production of Alberta mines during 1925 amounted to 5,883,384 tons, an increase of 679,681 tons over the preceding year. The figures were as follows: Domestic coal, 3,156,359 tons; sub-bituminous, 581,885; bituminous, 2,145,300.

A corps of young guides who will show visiting skiers the best locations, hills and runs for the sport was formed at Mount Bolland, Que., in the Laurentian Mountains recently. About twenty young fellows were enrolled. For the summer a corps of guides will probably be formed to show visitors the best fishing, bathing and boating locations.

Twenty-three seconds was clipped off the Canadian record for women's indoor 220 yards swim at the Crystal Gardens, Victoria, B.C., when Marie-Chen Wenslaus, famous Hawaiian mermaid, Olympic champion and holder 100 yard and 100 meter world records, met Audrey Griffin, well known Canadian girl swimmer of Vancouver. The time was 2:52.5-6.

The Chateau Frontenac at Quebec will have been reconstructed and the entire building of 190 rooms will have been rendered fire-proof by June 1st, according to information from head office of the Canadian Pacific Railway in Montreal. The burnt part of the Chateau has been rebuilt up to the fourth floor while the steel for the roof is in process of erection.

Major F. J. Ney, executive secretary of the Canadian Council of Education, returned to Canada on board the Canadian Pacific liner Montcalm after a tour of Palestine, Cyprus and Egypt where he laid foundations for the organization of the Mediterranean branch of the Overseas Education League. Lord Lloyd, High Commissioner for Egypt and Field Marshall Lord Plumer, Commissioner in Palestine, have both consented to become honorary vice-presidents of the League.

When Lord and Lady Allenby were in Vancouver recently, a group of women, whose husbands and sweethearts had been cared for by Lady Allenby during the war days in Cairo, thanked the "Lady of Mercy" for her care and attention. These husbands and sweethearts are now happily settled in the sunny Okanagan Valley of British Columbia and have banded in a unique organization known as the Jaffa Gate, every member having passed through the Jaffa Gate into Jerusalem.

On March 8 a crowd of representative citizens gathered at the Canadian Pacific depot at Vancouver to welcome His Honor Lieutenant Governor Robert Randolph Bruce, of British Columbia. Forty years ago the hardy Scot left his ancestral home in Invermer, Scotland, to seek his fortune in the Canadian West. He found it.

During the month of January 1926, 15,706,700 pounds of refined sugar valued at \$960,483 was exported from Canada as compared with 127,400 pounds valued at \$14,893 for January 1925. Of the total amount the United Kingdom took 11,750,000 pounds while Sweden was second on the list with 2,260,000 pounds.

A commission of three professors in agriculture will make a survey of the province of Ontario to ascertain the soils best adapted to the culture of tobacco. The commission will act under instructions from the Minister of Agriculture. Soil tests are to be made on various farms and also at the government experimental stations within the tobacco districts.

Government statistics show that the average wages per month paid to farm helpers in the summer of 1925 over the whole of Canada was \$10 for men and \$22 for women. The value of board received was reckoned at \$23 for men and \$19 for women. The total received, therefore, for wages and board in 1925, was \$63 per month for men and \$43 for women.

At the third triennial conference of the National Council of Education to be held in Montreal during the week of April 8, men famous in the world of music will deliver addresses which should add much to the knowledge of the subject. Sir Hugh Percy Allen, professor of music in the University of Oxford and conductor of the Bach Choir at London, will speak on "Music as a National Discipline."

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THREE GENERATIONS REPRESENTED BY  
PARTY OF U.S. SETTLERS FOR SASK.

Three generations of hardy Americans were represented by this first party of settlers to cross the line this season under the supervision of Prof. O. B. Grinnell, land and colonization agent of the Canadian National Railway at St. Paul, Minn., who appears in the photograph in the centre of the back row. Twenty-four individuals, of whom 21 were bound for land from the C.N.R. last year, and three for Kuroki, Sask., made up this advance party of homeseekers brought with them five cars of effects, which include farm machinery and live stock.

This entire party came from Thompson, N.D., Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Kennedy with their children and grandchildren, numbering 21 persons; Mrs. John Angsburg, a sister of Mrs. Kennedy, accompanied her husband and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Webber and small son making up the balance of the party. The Kennedy connection is taking up four farms at Lintlaw.

The movement of settlers from the United States has just begun, according to C.N.R. colonization officials at Winnipeg and W.D. Robb, vice-president in charge of that department, who has just visited the colonization branch offices in the Central States. The latter states that the flood of inquiries being received by the company this year and a larger movement is expected this season than for many years past.—C.N.R. Photo.

## Uncrowned King of a Happy Valley



ONE OF LIEUT. GOV. BRUCE'S INDIAN FRIENDS

BRUCE (SEATED RIGHT) BEH. S. MADE AN INDIAN CHIEF

Robert Randolph Bruce has recently been appointed Lieut. Governor of British Columbia, as the representative of King George in that province of Canada. Like many another successful Canadian he came from Scotland, about thirty years ago, bringing with him a frock coat, a tall hat, and a bundle of introductory letters. He was the son of the minister of the parish from which George Stephen later, Lord Mountstephen, then President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, had come, and so the first office where he presented himself was that of T. G. Shaughnessy, then general manager. In a very few minutes he was given a job, but he was going out the door, "T. G." called after him, "Young

man, if you want to get on in this country, shed that coat." Mr. Bruce must have obeyed instructions for he has been "getting on" until his recent appointment seems to be as near the top as any Canadian could ever be. And, coincident with his development, has come about the development of the Windermere Valley in British Columbia, where he made his home for some years. Mining interests first took him back in 1889, to the upper reaches of the Columbia River, where he commenced operations on the Sliding Hill claim on Boulder Creek, a tributary of Horse Thief Creek, near the spectacular Lake of the Hanging Glaciers. Later he left this for a new claim called Paradise, from

which has sprung the appellation Happy Valley. The village of Windermere, on the eastern side of Lake Windermere, was the first to take root, and here Mr. Bruce settled. He built a bungalow, and planted a garden, a garden which today is a riot of exquisite flowers. A regular flower show for those visitors at the Canadian Pacific luncheon camp opened a year or so ago a short distance along the lake shore from the Bruce estate. Not only did this indefatigable ardent plant lover flourish in his garden, but realizing the difficulties of keeping miners at their jobs, he landed fresh vegetables in sufficient quantities for his men to have a diet of fresh vegetables instead of a diet of tin cans. His ores are mined with never a strike.

## Here and There

Lord and Lady Allenby have left Canada, on board the Canadian Pacific liner "Montra", for home. The distinguished general was received enthusiastically in every city throughout his tour of the Dominion. He delivered addresses showing the importance of the capture of Palestine to the Allies in the Great War.

V. C. Vickers, managing director of Montra, Vickers Ltd., London, England, who arrived in Canada recently on board the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Canada," reported that the shipbuilding industry both in China and Japan was in a healthier condition than for many years past, with shipbuilders favoring the motor ship.

Travelling right across the Dominion, exclusively on Canadian Pacific lines and in the palatial special car "Loch Lomond," Her Grace the Duchess of Atholl, whose family seat is at Banff, Scotland, will make a tour of the West Coast of Canada with the world famous resort in the Canadian Rockies, which took its name from her Scottish home.

A. Ilton, general superintendent of transportation for the Canadian Pacific Railway, has announced the intention of the company to raise the embargo against the loading of grain to Fort William and Port Arthur and the milling companies and elevators at Winnipeg. This is due to the anticipation of the opening of navigation on the Great Lakes about April 20.

The total yield of wheat in Canada for 1926, as finally estimated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, is 416,849,700 bushels, the second largest on record, having been exceeded only by the 1923 crop. The value of this crop is estimated at \$465,116,200, or over \$45 per capita of Canadian population. The average wheat yield was 19.2 bushels per acre.

A general survey of reports by the Canadian Pacific Railway on agricultural conditions throughout the West shows that farmers are pleased with present conditions and speak optimistically on the season's outlook. Sufficient moisture for spring crops seems to be assured. Livestock wintered well. Adequate supplies of seed are available and no shortage of labor is expected.

A special C. P. R. train carrying 438 settlers from the S.S. "Mentcalm" reached Winnipeg recently. Among the passengers were thirty-one British families who came under the 1900 family settlement scheme. There was one party of 10 German-speaking Catholics, and the Salvation Army, under Captain Sharp, brought out a party of twenty young lads going to British Columbia.

It has been announced by the passenger department of the C. P. R. at Winnipeg that negotiations have been complete with the Central Canadian Air Lines Limited, for an air service between Kenora and the new gold fields at Long Lake and Red Lake. A regular daily service is to be inaugurated about May 24 in connection with the C.P.R. from Kenora and during summer service will be running between Kenora and Duluth.

The recent fire at the Banff Springs Hotel, which resulted in the destruction of the north wing and about seventy rooms, will have little effect on the coming tourist season. During the past winter the company has built an annex with 100 rooms with baths and, with the central stone tower and the south wing, the old building that were saved, there will be a total of 313 rooms available by July 1, or more than was in use last year.

The Canadian champion two year old Arabian horse, "Prince of Beatrix" 3rd, owned and bred by the Nova Scotia Agricultural College, has another record in supply of milk and butter fat. From January 12 to March 18 she produced 670 pounds of milk, an average of 67 pounds a day. Butter fat was 220 pounds for the same period, equal to 276 pounds of butter.

Their Majesties King George and Queen Mary paid a private visit to the first Exhibition of Paintings and Sculpture by Canadian artists which is being shown in London. Among the exhibits are pictures by Leonard Richmond of Lake Moraine, Lake O'Hara and Lake Louise, painted by the artist during his visit to the Canadian Rockies last year with the Trail Riders.

## An Artist's View of the Rockies



Cathedral Mountain From the Yukon Valley

Leonard Richmond, R.B.A., R.O.I., the well known British artist is among the latest to succumb to the lure of air in the prairies of the Canadian Pacific Rockies. In Apollo, a magazine of the arts, Mr. Richmond writes of the Rocky Mountains as one of the most magnificent sights of the world.

Towards the end of March 1925, the artist made his first journey into the heart of Canada. He writes, "As the train advanced from Calgary, the 'foothills' of the Rockies gradually emerged in view, suggesting the appearance of a body-guard, or sentinels, guarding the sterner mountains beyond."

"It is not expedient or desirable for me to describe in detail the emotions, ascending scale that my feelings experienced as the train approached the actual Rockies themselves. It is enough to state that my highest imaginative thoughts had never visualized so much impressive force and dignity as those austere mountains conveyed that late afternoon in March."

"The general color on that particular afternoon was monotone in effect. I have not seen any Japanese wood-cut print that equaled the superb draughtsmanship of the finely designed groups of pine trees which were almost black in tint, contrasting sharply against the virgin snow."

"The mountains of Canada suggest

many forms of expression for artists. In that respect they are probably unique. The intellectually endowed modern painter has scope enough to create works of art, based on the innumerable suggestions of dynamic force, grim tragedies of form caused by ancient volcanic eruptions, and occult feelings, too, can be awakened by close contact and communion with the soul of the mountains."

"It is impossible for any artist to sketch more than a fraction of such a vast area of varied subjects. Once the artist is situated right in the mountains there is no occasion to seek for subjects or to walk any distance for desirable views. There is something interesting to paint from any angle."

"Some of the most interesting pictures that I have seen recently of the Rockies are those where the artist has improvised in colour and form on the original theme in nature. By this means nature can be made to look more natural in a picture and the artist's thought can be crystallized into positive expression."

Mr. Richmond, who painted a number of beautiful views, states that although Lakes Louise, O'Hara, Moraine, and Emerald are famous in the lake world of Canada, he was intrigued by the smaller lakes, Lake Mirror and Lake Agnes, known as the "Lakes in the Clouds," above Louise.

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No. 67—8:35 a.m. Daily  
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No. 68—10:35 p.m. Daily  
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Nos. 7 and 8 (Standard sleeping cars only) between Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver will be resumed, first train leaving each of these points on May 16th, 1926.

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For further particulars apply to any Ticket Agent.

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## Standings in 26th Week of Egg Laying Contest

Name	Week Total
Mrs. J. W. Cookson	87 827
Lily White P.F.	36 736
R. H. Nicholls	56 1088
Jasper Place P.F.	51 980
Gloverlea Sisk P.	48 629
B. W. Grand	60 908
Pio eer P.F.	53 896
Mrs. C. D. Mylins	51 715
Laywell P.F.	50 701
F. J. Taylor	46 732
Routell, Ranch	46 888
Alpine P.F.	39 519
G. A. Bishop	34 740
Laywell Ex. Pm.	37 033
W. W. Freeman	49 771
F. Edwards	41 492
M. Bolinger	52 629
S. Caldwell	47 810
T. Hutchinson	47 777
G. Glasser	47 777
H. G. L. Strange	47 898
G. E. Harp	58 658
H. Higinbotham	54 1177
R. T. Van Amburg	58 826
F. LOTE, HILLCREST	54 1249
Lathbridge Ex. Pm.	56 1143
P. J. Timma	35 387

According to figures for 1925 the growth of interest in First Aid efficiency is attested by the fact that 128 men and women were successfully examined on the whole Canadian Pacific system during the year. In all, approximately 25,000 Canadian Pacific Railway employees are now holders of First Aid certificates, while a large proportion have vouchers, medallions and labels indicating that they are far above the certificate standard, severe as that of knowledge is.

R. E. Larmour, general freight agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway, has announced that westbound lake and rail freight from eastern points will be accepted shipment on the Great Lakes, subject to delay by reason of ice conditions, by April 9, at Port McNicoll. The outlook for package freight, both east and west bound, is considered to be as good as last year when returns from this source were about equal to those from the carriage of grain.



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Every item mentioned here merits your Immediate Attention

**Women's Oxfords**

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Now **\$1.95**

Every pair of Shoes and Oxfords in this group will make value footprints at \$1.95 Oxfords, Strap Slippers, Pump and Laced Shoes. Join the grand savings procession in this great Merchandise Sale. Not only is this sale great from a value and quantity standpoint, but from its variety of styles and leather. Every pair is sold on a money back guarantee. Come

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Misses Cotton fine Ribbed Hosiery, at 24c  
Boys Peter Pan Ribbed Hosiery, at 49c

# SALE

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 19

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## "Daddy" Blair of the Wild and Woolly West



1. One of the stampedes Dad attended. 2. Blair dressed as Cowboy taking part in Hudson Bay Parade, 1920, at the age of 99.

A world-weary Old Timer, one of the pioneers of the Canadian West, died recently in Edmonton at the age of 94. He was known as "Daddy" Blair, but his real name was Telesphore Alexander Blair. As a scout, soldier and adventurer he carried the Hudson's Bay Company flag into the remote corners of the West for half a century, finally howling his sturdy shoulders before the ravages of age. Since the inauguration of stampedes in various cities in the West, Daddy was always one of the first to attend, no matter how much he felt the weight of his years. He made his last effort in 1920 when he attended the Hudson's Bay Parade in Edmonton at the age of 83.

Dad was only fourteen years of age when he left the old homestead near Montreal. The glamour, the excitement, the rush and uncertainty of circus life, the shouts of the performers, the tumultuous applause of happy pleasure-seekers, lured him. Even the dust bit into his blood and awoke him. Dad around the world with Barnum's circus.

One day in London, Daddy was driving one of Barnum's eight-horse teams. A little girl ran suddenly into the street. There was a shriek.

A shriek from one of the spectators, and before anyone knew what was happening Daddy had wrenched the ponies almost completely around, saving the child's life by about two inches. In the mix-up Daddy fell into the muddy street, ruining his clothes. Her Majesty Queen Victoria, who happened to witness the scene, called the next day, shook hands with Daddy and had a suit of clothes sent to him.

Blair started for the Northwest in 1822, walking from Ottawa to Fort Garry. When the Canadian Pacific Railway was building into Winnipeg he was put to work on a gang under Tom Scott, who was later the first victim of the Riel rebellion. It was Scott who changed Blair's name to Blair.

For over thirty years the Man Who Wanted Adventure went up and down the country. He served as a scout for General Strange; he was attached to the service of Lord Strathcona; then Donald Smith of the C. P. R.; he carried mail for the Hudson's Bay Company over the Crow's Nest Trail; and he narrowly escaped being burned to death by Indians. Daddy got the adventure he had sought, and he wanted and he died more satisfied than many another man would have been.

For many years, in the sunset of his life, Daddy was a familiar figure on the streets of Edmonton with his silvery, patriarchal mustache and soldierly bearing. But he ended up as a caretaker for buildings, and finally, when the old man could work no longer, he was taken care of by Miss Chisham of the Beulah Mission. Then Daddy's eyes began to grow dimmer. On sunny days he would ask piously, "Why is it so dark? Doesn't the sun come out to play any more?" So it grew darker; the faint frame grew weaker and weaker, and the tired old feet which had carried their burden through a glorious, carefree life of adventure, turned toward the Happy Hunting Grounds where they will have to trudge over rough roads.

## Save The Forests! Everyone Loses If They Burn!



1. Forests provide the raw material for one of Canada's greatest industries. 2. A forest fire is a disaster to the lumber industry. 3. Fire fighting equipment, 7000 gallons of water and a half a mile of hose, on C. P. R. cars.

Indifference, ignorance and carelessness, are the independent fires which result in forest fires and only a thorough education of the public to the great need of forest preservation can eradicate these evils. Until the general public understands the full significance of the loss occasioned through forest fires unnecessary destruction of thousands of acres of fine timber will continue. The menace to the financial health of Canada through forest fires has not been fully appreciated by the vast majority of the people. And Canadians especially should be vitally concerned in the welfare of their forests.

The various phases of the lumber industry in Canada represent an invested capital of approximately five hundred million dollars. The associated industries give employment to thousands of men the year through. Further, out of every five dollars the lumber industries pay back to the country more than four dollars for the wood, the labor and the taxes involved in the enterprise.

In the province of Ontario alone, about 20,000 men are employed in the bush while 10,000 are employed in pulp and paper mills. The capital invested in these industries in Ontario is estimated at about \$175,000,000. The operations employed by the Ontario provincial government for forest fire protection cost \$5,000 a day. Yet with all this forest fire consume twelve times the amount of lumber which is the life of these huge Canadian industries. In the province of Quebec the value of the lumber cut, including pulpwood, exceeds \$40,000,000 annually.

In co-operation with the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, the Montreal Publicity Association has given generous leadership in drawing public attention to the meaning of Forest Conservation Week, which is held annually in the United States and Canada from April 19 to 25. Scores of public bodies all over North America have joined in the effort to stimulate public interest in the forests and means for their preservation.

When a forest burns everybody loses. The destruction of a wooded area means just as much loss of a natural heritage for the generations to come. During Forest week the object is to impress this important fact on the public.

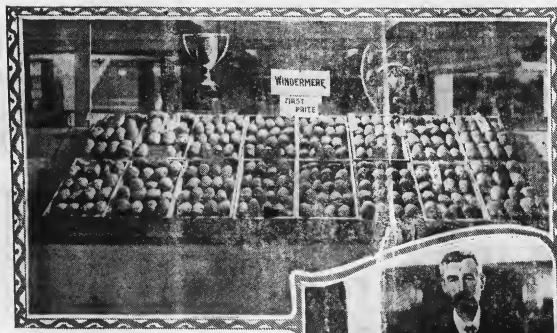
The Canadian Pacific Railway has been doing all in its power to prevent fires by maintaining fire fighting apparatus of the most up-to-date pattern. In order to eliminate the possibility of fires being started by passing trains, locomotives on the Canadian Pacific Railway lines are examined at the end of each trip and great

care is taken to see that ash pans and front ends are in perfect condition. Each spring the right of way is cleared with care of all scrap and inflammable material. Notices dealing with fire prevention and protection, issued by the C.P.R., the Dominion and provincial governments and by various fire prevention organizations are posted in all stations and other buildings where they will be effective.

The mechanical equipment maintained by the Company for fire fighting consists of a number of tank car units and hose, kept ready for immediate operation at convenient points. Each unit consists of two tank cars each of 7,000 gallon capacity, equipped with powerful pumps and about one mile of hose.

The fire-fighting forces maintained by the Canadian Pacific Railway co-operate to the fullest extent with the provincial forces and the other fire-prevention organizations, and do everything possible to assist in the fighting of fires which are at all adjacent to their territories.

## Windermere Prize Spuds Are Famous



Windermere District Prize Winners of Farmers Institute Advisory Board's Cup and the Murray Shield in 1925 at Victoria, B.C.

For over forty years the Windermere district of British Columbia has been famous for the quality of the potatoes produced there. Back in 1884 the late Francis Patrick Armstrong of Sorel, Quebec, one of the younger sons of Chief Justice James Armstrong who had wandered out into the mountains while the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway, was busy raising potatoes on his ranch on the eastern shore of the Columbia Lake. He did this from seed which he had brought from the tobacco plains of Montana.

Near the centre of the Windermere district, Columbia Lake forms one of the main sources of the Columbia River. On his isolated ranch, Armstrong raised his famous spuds and in boats made from whitewashed lumber took them to the construction camps of the Canadian Pacific Railway one hundred and fifty miles down the Columbia river. His wholesome product became so well known that his ranch lost the name "Plains of the Nativity," given it in 1845 by the Reverend Father Pierre de Smet, and became known as the Armstrong Ranch.

Later Armstrong took up steamer navigation and others took his place as growers of the potato, among them Rufus Ashton Kings, Dr. Robert Randolph Bruce, now Lieutenant governor of the province of British Columbia, was neither of the early big producers. He sold his crops at the mine.

Interest in the growth of potatoes in the Windermere district never waned but the growers in the district did not really wake up to the possibilities of widely commercializing their fine potatoes until the first important provincial potato show held in Grand Forks, B.C. in 1922. After winning many prizes, more care was taken in the growth of the plants and the study of varieties until it was decided that the netted genus of the Farmers Institute, Russets, and Wee McGregors were the varieties best suited for the district.

The Windermere District Potato Growers Association swept the boards at each succeeding potato show with these two grades. On two of the three succeeding occasions, including the 1925 show, they won the Farmers Institute Advisory Board's Cup, given as an annual trophy to the district within the province making the



Arthur J. Walker, Armstrong Ranch, Invermere, winner of the County Life Shield in 1924, with the 15 pounds of certified seed potatoes with which he won the award.

best display of eight lots of seed potatoes of not less than thirty-two in each lot, each lot being the product of a different grower.

In 1923 and again in 1924 the Murray Shield given by Country Life, of B.C. for the best exhibit of certified seed was carried back amid rejoicing to Invermere. Prizes have also been won at different years in the International Potato Show at Spokane, Washington.

At New Westminster, B.C. in 1925 Arthur J. Walker, of Ajax Ranch, Invermere, scored 99.2 points as his contribution to the display in which the Windermere district scored 785.1 out of 800 points. In addition to winning the Farmers Institute Advisory Board's Cup and the show the members of the Windermere association won seven first prizes and twenty-three other awards.

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# CANADIAN PACIFIC



# Proposal Is Made To Send A Canadian Exhibition Train To Advertise Canada In Britain

Senator Charles Philip Healey, one of the intellectual and oratorical elite of Ottawa's upper house, who wears in his buttonhole the red rosette of the French Legion of Honor, in a flying visit to Toronto last week is putting the case before the board of trade. "I have come," said he, "to ask you to help me to send this year a Canadian exhibition train to Great Britain. Nothing, as we proved in France, is better calculated to swell our curiosity, the most powerful of human interests. The man who knows how to harness human interest is master of the world."

That trade, or rather our caravan, would harness English curiosity as the hydro-electric harness Niagara, and would flash the magic word "Canada" unfortunately on all England as on a gigantic billboard.

"I am confident," said he, "that in one year it will increase our sales of Canadian goods to Great Britain by 100 million dollars."

To make the Englishman visualize Canada and its varied resources he would put in some central spot in England an immense diorama of Canada, 400 feet long and 100 feet high.

"I would show," said he, "the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, with the characteristic topography and activity of each province, the commerce of St. Lawrence and great lakes, the gold fields of Ontario and Quebec, the wide prairie, full of golden waving grain, the mountains, the forests, orchards and fisheries of B.C. We could even put in the Arctic Ocean and show the sea-ice laden waters covered with herds of reindeer or caribou."

"Then I would have a thousand to flash on golden lights to show the location of every gold mine in Canada, and blue lights to indicate every coal mine, and so on with our pulp mills and great industrial areas. Words are soon forgotten, but pictures never fade from the memory. Once an Englishman saw such a map he could never forget Canada for he would really have seen it. Such a large-scale map is a human curiosity worth 1,000 emigration speeches."

## Helps To Increase Income

Farmer's Are Realizing Value of Keeping Accurate Accounts

The problem of increasing his income is one which every man contemplates, but with the steady trend of population away from the centres with consequent rise in gross income to the individual, the problem may now be said to affect the farmer in a peculiar way. One of the means by which the farmer may enlarge his earning power was recently explained by J. S. Donald, farm management demonstrator at the Wisconsin College of Agriculture. He is of the opinion that the keeping of accurate farm records will greatly aid the farmer in enlarging his returns.

"A number of farmers are keeping farm accounts," he said, "and of course, know their value. A much larger number are not keeping such accounts or any systematic record of their farm business and so do not appreciate the value of accounting records."

"Every progressive farmer who is trying to improve his income will show him briefly and with little trouble his actual net income for his own time, after deducting all expenses including family labor. If he feels that a farm account will tell him too much bitter truth, and would rather not know how much he is losing, he may be making a mistake. Many farmers have been encouraged to find that they were making something when they thought they were losing."

## Made Hit Anyway

Jenks (after an absence from home) And so you shot a laugh while alone and unprotected. What a brave little woman you are! But what became of him?

Mrs. Jenks: Oh, the other burglar carried him off.

—Mrs. Jenks: The one I aimed at!

Husband: "What extravagance! You have two hats to match that one dress."

Wife: "Oh, no, I haven't. I've only one dress to match the two hats."

Miss Elderly:—Oh, I know you think you're very clever, but I could give you a wrinkle or two. Miss Slightly—I'm sure you could, my dear, and never miss them.

Many a man who claims to be discreet is only a coward.

W. N. U. 1628

## Diseases Of Fruit Diagnosed

Doctors Adopt Scientific Methods At Unique Hospital in London

A unique hospital for vegetable disease research has just been started at Covent Garden, London, in connection with the Cambridge Low Temperature Research Station. Here a fruit "doctor" diagnoses the troubles of English and imported produce.

So successful have these experiments been that many diseases, including the "brown heart" is applied, have been completely overcome. In one part of the laboratory, "breathing" tests are carried out to ascertain the vitality of certain kinds of fruits. "Breathing" is just as important to a banana, pear, or a plum as it is to a human being, and when a fruit ceases to breathe it "dies" and goes bad.

Owing to the scientific methods which are now adopted in connection with the cold storage of fruit and vegetables, garden produce can be kept in perfect condition for very long periods. Among the "residents" at the Cambridge Low Temperature Research Station are cauliflowers, which are as fresh as when picked two months ago; pears gathered last September, which look as healthy as if they had been picked yesterday; and apples which ripened over two years ago, but have not lost one iota of their flavor.

## Important Discoveries Regarding Plant Life

Heart Beats of Trees Automatically Recorded By Galvanometer

Three important discoveries which Sir J. D. Bose has recently demonstrated in Calcutta are considered by scientists as of profound significance in developing our knowledge of the evolutionary process of life. Sir J. D. Bose has discovered the actual heart of the tree by means of an electric probe in conjunction with a sensitive galvanometer. As soon as the probe was in contact with the heart, electric signals were automatically recorded by the galvanometer. The heart of plants is similar to the elongated heart of some of the lower animals, such as the earthworm. In an amazing demonstration, Sir J. D. Bose, by means of intricate instruments magnifying 1,000 times, showed the exhilarating effects of plants inhaling water containing small doses of ether as a stimulant, and finally he poisoned them with a fatal dose of potassium cyanide, the struggle ending in a rapid and spasmodic fall of the leaves indicating death throes.

## Mapping the Stars

In 156 astronomers of the world undertook the task of mapping the stars. There are 100,000,000 luminaries that had to be included, and only two observatories that set about the task have finished it. Others report they have hardly begun the big task and that the map very likely will be out of date when it is eventually finished. This will not be because the stars have any vagaries, but because the invention of more powerful telescopes now make the portions of the map finished some years ago obsolete.

Another thing the average man can't understand is why obscure writers aren't called great while so much money is paid to that kind of it.

The wedding of a deaf and dumb couple is usually a quiet affair.

## Good Horses In Demand

Not Rival of Motor Car But Each Has Its Place

The farmer who owns a really good brood mare is to be congratulated. No matter how many tractors may find their way to the country side, the horse will still hold his own. Just now, really good horses are in active demand and the demand is likely to be active for some time. One reason for this is the big firms in the cities still use the horse for deliveries under a distance of ten miles. Last winter proved the value of the horse as an all year conveyer. The horse and the motor car are not rivals. Each is valuable in its own place and loss comes when the one is required to do the work of the other.

## Trade With Japan

Large Quantities of Agricultural Products Shipped Through Vancouver

Canada's exports to Japan, which have been steadily increasing in late years, reached their high point in 1925, according to H. A. Craig, deputy minister of agriculture for Alberta, who recently returned from a trip to that country, in which he investigated the possibilities of trade from this province. He reports that 11,500,000 bushels of grain, 400,000 tons of flour, 720 tons of butter, 122 tons of cheese, 1,246 tons of beef and five tons of poultry, were shipped through Vancouver to Japan last year.

## Vancouver's New Flour Mill

Expansion in Export Business Planned by Big Milling Company

Vancouver is to have a large new \$1,500,000 flour mill, capable of producing 3,000 barrels of flour a day, according to information reaching the office of Winnipeg. The Maple Leaf Milling Company, taking over the assets of the Alberta Pulp and Paper Company, is planning expansion in the export milling business and will take advantage of the economy Vancouver offers in handling wheat for export.

## Something To Memorize

Figures Showing Canada's Area Should Change Idea of Americans

The Christian Science Monitor's "All-Canada" number contained many fine articles and a great deal of information about Canada, but the one line that should be read and memorized by several million Americans, who hold the idea that Canada is about the size of the island of Montreal, appeared on the front page, under the heading: "Salient Facts About Canada," and was as follows: "Area, 3,729,645 square miles; slightly larger than the United States."

## Bootlegging Milk

Charging that bad milk is being imported into New York from Canada, Mr. Louis I. Harris, health commissioner, told the National Democratic Club that he had been unable to stop the "vicious supply of bootleg milk coming from Canada." He said he was in communication with the authorities of Quebec and Ontario as well as those of seven nearby states in an effort to prevent the export into New York of milk which was unsealable and unsuitable to human consumption.

Always tell the truth and you will never have to fix up excuses.

# Showing How Profitable To The Country Is Development Of Our Natural Resources

## Annual Flowers For All Sections

The Twelve Best Annuals For Outside Growing

If everybody were asked how many varieties there were of sweet peas, how many people would be able to say, and yet in a bulletin on "Annual Flowers," prepared by Miss Isabella Preston, specialist in ornamental horticulture, of the Dominion experimental farms, the names of upwards of 400 varieties that have been tested at Ottawa are given. In all a list of more than two hundred varieties of flowers that have been tested at the Ottawa farm is applied and regarding which every interested and requiring further information is invited to apply to the Horticultural Division, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

The bulletin, which can be had free on application to the publications branch at the capital is one that concerns itself solely to the market and the domestic gardener, the flower grower on a large or a small scale. Besides giving valuable hints on cultivation it supplies an extensive list with detailed description of the best species and varieties to grow, names the twelve annuals best suited to each and practically every section of Canada, the twelve best annuals for outside growing, annuals for special purposes, and the list previously referred to of annuals tested at the Ottawa farm.

## An Agricultural Family

Six Sons of Scotchman Are Engaged in Farming

William Maller, who has died in Strirling at the age of 73, was a member of an agricultural family identified for many years with the Strirling and Perth districts, and was among the first of the band of Scottish farmers to take up holdings in England. All six sons are engaged in farming—three in Canada, two in England, and the sixth at the family holding, Gordale, near Blair Drummond. Three daughters are married to farmers.

## Easy Way To Raise Strawberries

Experiment of California Man Was Highly Successful

Strawberries enough to supply a family for a season can be grown in a barrel. This has been demonstrated by a Californian, Delavan D. Johnson, says Popular Science Monthly. A barrel in which holes have been bored is filled with dirt. In each of the holes a vine is set, and under each vine is built a screen platform to support it as it grows and bears fruit. As many as sixty vines can be grown in one barrel.

## Time Was Tricky

"Yes, sir, I am the oldest inhabitant."

"What's your age?"

"Ninety-seven last June, sir. And I reckon if it hadn't been for strikes and this 'ere puttin' the clock back each year, I'd be a centenarian by now."

Monastery scribes write with quill pens.

## Shipping Trees For Prairies

Busy Season At Dominion Forestry Farm Has Started

The staff of the Dominion forestry farm at Sutherland are as busy as ever in the preparation of the shipping bay trees destined to become pleasant groves of shelter in nearly 3,000 places as far east as Portage la Prairie, and as far north as the Peace River and as far north as the Yukon.

This is the start of the busy season for James McLean, superintendent of Northern Saskatchewan's forest factories, and from now on what with shipping and planting all hands will have scant time for personal occupations.

The demand for this free service afforded by the Dominion Government has been in the past 10 years, for farming conditions and settlers' movements. Up to the fall of 1923 the Sutherland plantation had shipped, since its inception, over 17,000,000 trees. The total was 2,800,000, while in 1925 it was about the same number. This year the striking number of 3,355,000 is to be shipped.

Maple, ash, and caragana are grown from seed, willows and poplars from cuttings. This year, the Sutherland forestry farm has 15 acres under first-year caragana, 12 under Manitoba maple, 14 under ash and 10 of two-year-old caragana, the balance being more or less in preparation.

## New Fireproof Building Material

The French have a new fireproof building material made of straw. The straw is pressed into rectangular panels which are four feet by six inches and two inches thick, bound together by longwired wires about six inches apart. The heavy pressure under which the panels are constructed as well as the mineral content of the straw account for its being fireproof.

## Daphnia of the Ocean

The greatest known depth of the sea is said to be 32,000 feet, just forty miles north of one of the Philippines Islands. At this point the ocean bottom would be about eleven and a half miles lower than the top of Mount Everest, says "Science Hintings."

The man who says as he goes seldom goes fast enough to overtake himself.

# WESTERN CANADA'S FIRST HOME-MADE ENGINE



Another railroad milestone of Western Canada was passed on April 20, when the first engine ever constructed in this part of the Dominion was turned out of the Canadian National Railways Transcona Shops at 7747, where it was built. Engine 3747 shown above was constructed entirely in the local shops, the work being done in addition to the regular output of repairs to other engines. After the various parts were made, the frames for the locomotive were laid down on March 11 and construction was completed on April 19th, a total of 27 working days, the first run being made to Winnipeg on the following day.

Number 3747 is classed as a 38 ton engine, is capable of making a main line time freight train on the Alberta district of the Canadian National, where the best use can be made of this class of locomotive and where the saving device with which it is equipped will give the most economical results. Number 3747, which is now in course of construction at Transcona, will be ready for service in Alberta in May.



# BABY'S OWN SOAP

## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

During last year 1,152 drunken motorists were deprived of their licenses in the state of New Jersey.

Sir Sifton Branker, British civil aviation head, says he plans a landing stage at Galway for trans-Atlantic aeroplanes.

New Zealand's export of apples last year reached the record total of 600,000 cases, with ample left for home market.

Coffins containing two mummified horses, the first ever discovered in Egypt, have been found in the pyramids of Sakara, south of Cairo.

Geological surveys in British Columbia have cost the federal treasury \$1,711,410 since 1871. In the last four fiscal years it has averaged from \$55,000 to \$60,000.

Aerial traffic between the United States and Canada may soon be directed through "air gates" designated by mutual agreement of the two governments.

The possibility of the creation of a Hebrew rite in the Roman Catholic church, which would mean recognition of the Zionist nation is declared by the Giornale D'Italia to be under discussion in ecclesiastical circles.

Butter importers have been notified by the customs department that they must pay six cents a pound duty on all butter they have imported to Canada from Australia since January 1 of this year.

Up to the end of March last 6,580 persons had been accepted in Great Britain for migration to Canada and 2,656 had actually sailed for the Dominion under the Canadian assisted passage scheme.

The owners of black opals are extremely lucky people at present, contrary to the accepted superstition, for the value of these gems is rising as they become more and more scarce. The mines in Australia which produce them are giving out and no new sources have been discovered.

## No Written Examinations

Pupils in B.C. School To Be Promoted On Basis Of Year's Work

Pupils attending British Columbia public schools will be promoted to the high schools this summer under entirely new regulations, it was announced at the department of education. Under a system to be inaugurated by Hon. J. D. McLean, minister of education, the practice of promoting pupils on the basis of their work during the entire school year instead of depending upon written examinations will be extended greatly in its scope. At the same time, however, Mr. McLean is inaugurating new regulations designed to safeguard these promotions and prevent the advancement of unworthy pupils.

## HEADACHE!

Rattle the head with Minard's "Water. Also heat and inhale Minard's.

## MINARD'S "KING OF PAIN" LINIMENT

W. N. U. 1628

## Gopher Poisons

By W. W. Jackson, Professor of Biology, Manitoba Agricultural College.

All gopher poisons contain strychnine, they differ only in amount and mixture. The government standard is 12 grains of strychnine sulphate per half ounce or 2.5 per cent., or about 42 grams of strychnine to a gallon of water to treat as much grain as will soak it up. Strychnine has two forms—the natural alkaloid and the sulphate crystals, which are more soluble but less poisonous, so that it takes 5 ounces of the sulphate to be equal to 4 ounces of the alkaloid—the sulphate is more commonly used because cheaper and more soluble. But gopher poison must be made attractive and alluring with sweetness and aroma.

The North Dakota mixture contains glycerine, saccharine, molasses and baking soda. The Canada vinegar mixture depends upon vinegar for its flavor and aroma. Other mixtures use unrefined oil for flavor and aroma—all good in their way, all effective in proportion to the strychnine present.

The North Dakota mixture is the most popular home-made one, and made as follows for quarter-section, section, or municipality.

For 1/4 Section Section Municipal.

20 qts. oats 3 bu. or 300 lbs. 10 qts. oz. strychnine 5 ozs. 32 lbs. oz. baking soda 5 ozs. 32 lbs. oz. starch 5 ozs. 32 lbs. 1/2 pt. molasses 1 1/2 pts. 16 gal. 1/2 lb. glycerine 3/4 oz. 22 lbs. 1/2 oz. saccharine 3/4 oz. 22 lbs. Labor 20 mins. 30 mins. 50 hrs.

Probably cost \$2 for 1,200 gopher holes or average quarter section. Approximately \$8.00 for 6,000 gopher holes, average section, 60,000 gopher holes, 100 sections (half municipality), \$800.00. Make a pint of hot starch paste and slowly sift in the strychnine and soda powder and stir so it will not boil over. Then add the molasses, glycerine and saccharine and stir well. Then pour the warm mixture over 29 quarts of clean oats. Costs about 2c for 10 gopher holes and saves bushels of grain and a bumpy field, if done in time (April and May).

## Lord Grey's Sight Restored

Threatened Danger of Total Blindness Has Been Averted

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## Each Mark Has Meaning

Every mark on a twig has a meaning in the life of a tree, says Nature Magazine. The tiny dots scattered here-or-miss over the twig are its breathing pores. Day and night, winter and summer, the tree breathes in oxygen and gives off carbon dioxide. The great work of spring and summer requires much additional breathing space which the leaves furnish.

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## ON THE AIR

What is Doing in the World of Radio

It is said that the radio industry is still in its infancy. Perhaps that is why it keeps so many people up late at night.

London soon will have a theatre in which plays will be staged for broadcast and not for audiences present in person. A test was made recently in Covent Garden Opera House where an opera was performed and broadcast without stage-seatings or costumes.

The Bible service bureau has been incorporated at Columbus, Ohio, to give to the world daily a message from the Word of God by radio. The service has been offered free to 563 broadcasting stations in the United States and 32 stations in Canada.

Legislation to regulate rates charged radio stations for broadcasting copyright music was urged at a session of the house and senate patent committees, Washington. Some stations pay as high as \$25,000 a year to the Composers' Association.

Effective May 5, CNRW, the Winnipeg broadcasting station of the Canadian National Railways, will operate on a summer schedule starting at 8:30 with the bedtime story, followed by market reports at 8:50 and the studio programme at 9 p.m. This will also apply to CNRW, Regina.

Tuning a radio set requires experience and familiarity with a set. Many purchasers are discouraged when they get their receivers and have difficulty receiving stations and bringing in programmes clearly. It is an art to get the utmost efficiency out of a set with the lowest amount of power.

The question arose the merits of broadcasting dance music for dance purposes finds the consensus agreement that radio foxtrots are better accepted when listened to, rather than stepped to. Something in the microphone transition mars the tempo and distorts the perfect dance rhythm. Sometimes it is staid, but on all reception evenings it is purely a matter of technical deficiency.

"Ingredients comprising a radio set have among them all travelled 250,000 miles between their places of origin and the factory where they are final combined," says the book. "In one standard receiving set are two thousand different parts, omitting the tubes. Each of the seven tubes has thirty-two parts. Some of these materials are domestic, many are foreign. No nation, no continent, supplies them all."

Radio owners who become uneasy during thunderstorms have little reason to fear, because lightning has not exhibited any special fondness for antennae. So advise engineers of the Underwriters' Laboratories, who daily war is waged against hazard through the testing of hundreds of devices to determine whether they are safe to use. At the tests, many of which appear ridiculous, are made with the knowledge that when amateur experiment anything may happen."

## Ontario Has World's Gold Deposits

A mining expert says that within two years Ontario will be the great gold producing area in the world, outdistancing the Rand, although the latter leads at present owing to greater labor. Ontario has the gold deposits of the world in its back garden with an annual production at present of nearly \$200,000,000.

## Was Oldest Mason in West

Andrew E. Rich, believed to have been the oldest Mason in Western Canada, is dead. He was 80 years old and had lived in the district for 40 years. Mr. Rich was born in Kingston, Ont., was a Master Mason for 49 years.

## "Come and dine with me tomorrow evening, old man."

"Afraid I can't," I'm going to see Hamlet."

"Never mind, bring him along too."

## OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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- Horizontal
- 1—A rich of vegetables or fruit (pl.).  
6—The mouth of a volcano.  
11—That thing.  
12—A green vegetable.  
13—Aust.  
14—That man.  
15—A man versed in the art of government.  
16—A beverage.  
17—Erases.  
18—Before.  
19—Sinfat.  
20—Turf.  
21—Before.  
22—Odd.  
23—To leave again.  
24—Unsuitable.  
25—One who eats beef.  
26—In the fore part of a vessel.  
27—Nickname.  
28—Ocean.  
29—Nine and one.
- Vertical
- 1—A relative.  
2—Near.  
3—Suable.  
4—Deposed or destitute of life.  
5—Surfeit.  
6—Covered with a case.  
7—Borders.  
8—Girl's name.  
9—An expression of inquiry or slight surprise.
- 10—To become less severe or intense.  
11—Boats propelled by sails.  
12—Act of eoloping.  
13—Never again.  
14—Man's name (Bib.).  
15—A corded material.  
16—Ogles.  
17—First woman.  
18—A mound, in golf.  
19—Belonging to it.  
20—Unlocked.  
21—Charge for services.  
22—An inlet of the sea.  
23—Tuned.  
24—Frother.  
25—Frother vehemently.  
26—A leave.  
27—A meadow.  
28—To unite by stitches.  
29—Conjunction.  
30—A title of courtesy (abbr.).

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

MAY 16

## ABRAHAM AND THE STRANGERS

Golden Text: All the nations of the earth shall be blessed in Him. Genesis 18:18.

Lesson: Genesis 18:1-8, 16:19.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 133.

## Explanations and Comments

Abraham Entertains Angels Unawares, verses 1-8.—"And Jehovah appeared unto Abraham" as he sat at his tent entrance at noon in Hebron: the first verse says, and the second speaks of "three men," appearing suddenly on the scene. Because of verses two and three, we must understand that the story includes among the three men, Jehovah himself. "There are passages in the Bible in which manifestations of God are described which seem to imply that he was confined within the limitations of space, or that the human form really was proper to him. He is said to have walked in the garden in the cool of the day; to have come down to see the town which men did build; to have been one of three men who appeared to Abraham, and to have eaten that which was set before him. Under these passages there lies not only a vivid conception of personality, but a vivid conception of a profound and more strictly redemptive truth, namely, that he reveals himself and enters into the closest friendship with men" (Dr. A. B. Davidson).

## Life On Mars Quite Probable

Prof. C. A. Chant, of the University of Toronto, told the convention of the Ontario Educational Association there that the existence of life on the planet Mars was more than a possibility, according to conclusions drawn from observations made in 1924 when the planet approached close to the earth. Prof. Chant described the work of the astronomers who observed Mars during that period.

## Clock Does Trick

The town clock of West Chester, Pa., every day at noon casts a baseball from the top of the tower and the person who finds it receives 10 cents from the merchant whose name it carries. A reservoir carries enough balls for three weeks.

## Answer to Last Week's Puzzle

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She Had Fainting Spells

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## TIPPITY-WITCH IRENE

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By COLLEEN MOORE







## Personal and Local.

The Rev. A. D. Currie, rector of St. Paul's United Church, will preach in St. Alban's Church, Coleman, on Sunday, May 16th at 7 p.m. Mrs. J. A. bridge will render a solo.

At a special congregation meeting following Sunday evening's service at St. Paul's United Church, a call was unanimously extended to the Rev. H. J. Bevan of Gleichen. Mr. Bevan has signified his willingness to accept, and if the Presbytery and settlement committee approve his induction will take place some time in June.

Messrs. Win Dean, W. Solner, and William Whittaker, who have been attending the University at Edmonton, returned to Coleman last week.

The picture, "Behind the Front" shown at the Palace and Grand theatres on Saturday and Monday, was much enjoyed by local theatre-goers. The special film, "The Voice of the Nightingale," had a strong appeal for all.

The Great Northern Railway is discontinuing service on their line between Fernie and Michel after Friday, May 21st.

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## Here and There

The maple sugaring industry is on the up-grade again. The yearly sugar production with its equivalent in syrup decreased from 20,000,000 pounds in the '80s to 20,000,000 pounds a few seasons ago. For 1925 production is equal to 26,512,289 pounds of sugar.

After one of the mildest winters in the known history of the Rocky Mountains, the Banff tourist season was ushered in during the first week in April, when a distinguished group of Australians, under Sir Frank Heath, of Melbourne, took the general drive through the surrounding mountains.

On the last leg of the 139-day Round-the-World Cruise, the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Scotland" passed through the Panama Canal, and Miss Katherine Kinney, a passenger, was elected to operate the controls of the two Miraflores locks. In doing this the young lady raised the vessel fifty-four feet. A toll of \$17,211.25 was paid to clear the vessel at the canal.

Sir John Pickford, Chief Scout Commissioner and Commissioner for Overseas Scouts and Migration, recently laid before E. W. Beatty, President of the C.P.R., his plans for assisting boys over seventeen years of age come to Canada. Sir John said that more British boys were going to Australia because the age limit for assisted passages to that country was higher than Canada's.

Increasing prosperity in the agricultural industry, resulting in re-awakened interest in the acquisition of Canadian farm lands, has had the result of raising the average value of western farm lands from \$37 per acre in 1924 to \$38 per acre in 1925. For the year Prince Edward Island shows the highest increase at \$45 per acre, compared to \$40 in 1924.

Of the grain stocks at the port of Vancouver, which are being steadily exported, European markets received practically 27 million bushels of the Orient 20 million bushels of the 47,640,647 bushels of the 1925 crop, which had been shipped to Vancouver. The amount of grain in store at Vancouver is seldom more than 4,500,000 bushels.

All local trains coming into Windsor Station, Montreal, from the Eastern Townships brought supplies of maple syrup which increased rapidly during April. Similar shipments poured into the Place Viger Station from the Laurentians. Dominion Express officials stated that the quantities were well up to the average of former years, while the quality was also up to the mark.

With the inauguration of the new "Redwing" special train service on the Canadian Pacific Railway line between Boston and Montreal, a group of prominent Bostonians were invited to Montreal on the initial trip of the "Redwing" from Boston. Montrealers went to Boston on the same special. The "Redwing" cuts several hours off the old schedule between the two cities.

According to the weekly crop report of the Canadian Pacific Railway the spring opening of the 1926 season, after one of the finest winters ever experienced in Western Canada, finds conditions very favorable. Feed was plentiful and winter losses less than usual. Prospects for coming season are fine owing to good moisture. There is a live demand for new machinery.

Roy Andrews Chapman, the famous explorer of New York, has sailed for the Orient on the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Russia bound for the Gobi desert where he will endeavour to establish definite proof that Ancient Asia was the Mother of Life in Europe and America. The Andrews caravan includes noted scientists, taxidermists, photographers and a motion picture cameraman.

With a population of 9,000,000 Canada has as much foreign trade as the United States had with a population of 76,000,000. Mining production in the Dominion is as great as when the United States had 38,000,000 people while Canada manufactures as much as the country across the border did with 50,000,000 inhabitants. Today the Canadian per capita export trade amounts to \$184 while in the United States it is only \$97.

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Shredded Wheat, per package	<b>.25</b>	Royal Crown Cleaner, 3 tins for	<b>.25</b>
Kellogg All Bran, per package	<b>.25</b>	Water Glass, 2 lb tin	<b>.30</b>
Iodized Salt, per carton	<b>.20</b>	Lemonade Powder, per tin	<b>.25</b>
Chicken Haddie, per tin	<b>.30</b>	Chicken Wheat, good quality, per sack	<b>\$2.65</b>
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